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pinerty and light, still the ages wax and wane, and still they grape in night. parist, Mrs., June, 1877.

PAMILY SLAUGHTERED.

pairious Murder of a Man and Iwe Wemen in Cold Bloodirrest of Parties Charged with the Fearful Deed.

it. One of them, dealt with in all respects as citizens of South orfession to-day, Carolina. We intend to try and elevate ring. The prevailing opinion is Carolina, to be worthy the great boon of mandered man was a thrifty farmer friends, I must again thank you for this Terrell says ating to South Carolina. is, and King, without any warning, howels; then there ensued a turssel, to and twice in the neck. His victim gled up an old corn cutter and threw at King and struck him in the back. said man over the head, cleaving the say steps and dealt her a blow on the kind. his brought her to the ground, and he stack her on the back of the head, sating it wide open. He again lifted is weapon and struck her across the with to take the prisoners from the jail and lynch them. The militia are under arms, and a lot of extra police have been Worm in. The latest developments go

A Horrible crime.

Lebanon Times and Kentuckian, 20.] seems that a young man, whose name and it is herewith appended :we could not learn, married, some time ter ther woman happened in, and hear study love and proplaim its truths, howing a strange noise in the box, inquired ever imperious or malevolent opposition and found out what was done. She per- thereto may be. ever, of this matter got out, and a few nights thereafter a mob visited the

in Nashville, Te-ur., Monday last, was been deaded pair had some difficulty, and that in Nashville, Te-ur., Monday last, was been in South Cs-volina February 4. It is a south bama, Florida and Mississippi.

GOV. HAMPTON IN NEW YORK.

variably discontinued at ex- Shaking Hands Over the Chasm.

Shield's celebration to-day, dwelt largely on the contest in South Carolina, in which the latter had taken so prominent a part. Gov. Hampton, in the course of his reply, said; Your distinguished Governor had been pleased to allude to the contest in South Carolina; that, my friends, was not a political struggle; it rose far higher than any such contest ever waged on this continent. It was a contest for civilzation, for home rule, good government, for life itself; is was a contest waged by the people of South Carolina not, as demagogues would tell you, against Northern men; it was a contest waged against carpet-baggers, and when I say carpet-baggers I mean by that "thief." We do not call any Northern man, any Irishman, any German, any English-man who settles in our midst an honest an come to our genial skies and fertile soilcome one, come all, and I pledge them, in There are dear little eyes looking up into the name of the State, a hospitable, warm-hearted reception. We do not ask whether they are Republicans or Democrats. I want to impress this upon your minds, and I will do it by an illustration of what was done by the Democratic Legislature of South Carolina in almost its first action: A vacancy occurred on the Supreme bench of the State; a Chief Justice was to be elected; it was a place which had been filled by men of the very highest reputation in our Commonwealth; the names of honered sons of Carolina, who would do honor to any bench, in any country, were presented; but that Democratic Legislature elected to the Supreme bench a citizen of New York, who came to the State as a soldier and who is a Republican. What further proof do you want that we are not governed by our precepitate reelings? Does it not show that we have fulfilled the pledges and promises made during the last canvass to make no distinction on account of race, color or party? We wanted to skow you people of the North that we were actuated by the highest and most patriotic feelings; we were fighting for every interest dear to freemen, and thanks to the brave and true men and glorious women of South Carolina, this war for good government was successful. They have established it in every department of the State Government; they have accomplished this, they now propose to fulfill to the very letter the pledges I made, and appealed to the high Heaven to witness that they should be carried out. 1 declared that if elected I would be Governor of the whole people of South Carolina; that I should know no race or party, no olor; that all men who stood on the soil of South Carolina, native or foreign bore. white or black, should be equal before the law, and so help me God it shall be done. I am glad to say the bitterness which market men of New York, as I say at home, I owe turned black in the face." (is is said, June 21 - The Commer-iny election to the colored men of South ast airoclous crimes ever perpetra- knowing that I had been a good friend of an Ohio was the murder in this coun- the race; knowing that I was the first man guar the village of Gore, about seven be given the right of suffrage, and I have in from Logan, of John Weldon, his never yet changed my opinion on this sub-Mrs. Susan McClung, liect, Knowing this, they sustained me in

New England Free Lovers.

them, as other citizens of America and South

MORAL RESOLUTIONS.

graceful gatherings in Boston this week. verily, if one is bewitched, it is thou, evasive answer. They commenced their Convention Sun- poor wife, and not the child." log look an ax from the porch, went day forenoon, and after holding half a "Ay, say thy wife is a witch at once, the house, and presently came out dozen sessions, wound up with a spirited and have done!" was the bitter and pas- the cradle; "and Enoch ever reproaching The old lady; they walked together row at an earley hour this morning. In sionate answer. "It was better to thy me?" ment when, without warning, he defining the purposes of the singular taste mayhaps, that I sat to-day in Salem with the ax across the head, tribe of men and women who participate jail and Mistress Wilson here. She is a and cutting it in twain. She fell, and in these frequent meetings in Boston it beautiful woman, and since her husband witch." seriek her across the neck, severing is only necessary to say that they openly never came back from sea, thou cans't "Ay, ay! there are others like him. lugalar vein. He then ran into the encourage and defend licentiousness in not pity her enough. Shame on the young lady, seeing the window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the dame; but when they saw how he bent his head and stee window suddenly it was not the saw has not the saw head and blood-besmeared weapon, ran the utterances of both sexes at the sever- sole reply, and he turned away and stood peradventure her beauty has been a said, cautiously: the front door. The brute pursued al sessions on this occasion were worthy at the little window looking out in the a snare to her—her beauty and pride. "I've brought you some milk misblovertook her before she had taken only of the most depraced of the human twilight. The ticking of the clock was For she carries her head high, Mistress tress."

his victim and probably went into the of Maine; Dr. O. H. Dillingham, of Bosthey had about eleven dollars on their of Boston, and a couple of self-styled di- than Mr. Cotton Mather himself, who for that." triously espouses.

SPEECHES AND RESOLUTIONS.

None of the speakers endeavored to ar to show that King was not concerned | define their sentiments in chaste language, m this hellish crime. He is known to but, on the contrary, were disgustingly have been in Logan at four o'clock, on obscene, the women speakers generally the day of the murder, and at eight excelling in this respect. One of the latclock the same night. Terrell says the ter, in particular, seemed to speak for the marder was committed between six and edification and delight of that portion of seren o'clock in the evening. Late this the audience given to debauchery, and evening numerous small groups of men her remarks appeared to find a hearty were seen quietly talking on the streets response in the minds of many women of Logan, including men from different who listened to her. The Rev. Mr. parts of the county." Trouble is evident- Hull was more than usually eloquent and enthusiastic in his advocacy of his peculiar views, and the resolutions which were offered by Mr. Heywood surpassed in indecency anything ever before submitted to a public meeting. Only one
out of the series of seven which were ofout of the series of the series of the town rose of the series of in indecency anything ever before subof news from Washington county. It fered is in language fit for publication,

Resolved, That the arrest of Charles Bradlaugh and Mrs. Anne Besant, for at one time lived on the lands of Mr. A. diffusing useful information concerning Mayes. The girl had been seduced, the generative function among common and, before marriage, had given birth English people, and the inquisitorial cato a deformed and idiotic child. Her reer of Anthony Comstock, approved by husband appears to have been dissatis- ecclesiastical, literary and political auhed about the child, and had influenced thorities here, show the extent to which his wife to agree to a mode of getting rid the "ruling classes" would hinder enhis wife to agree to a mode of getting rid lightenment on the gravest of subjects; With this view a box was obtained, and the child, while yet alive, nailed and the child, while yet alive, nailed the most serious duty of all to provide the most serious duty of all to provide the unwilling guests, however, is my turn, since no this particular evening they amused themselves in the streets. It town—for the child is well again! The was born; how she watched with thee at child is mine, and Mistress Wilson must that, nevertheless, it is not only the right but the most serious duty of all to provide whom hars break. They amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others, two or three worthy one is likely to come before six o'clock in provide whom hars break. They amused themselves in the streets. This time, however, is my turn, since no this particular evening one is likely to come before six o'clock in provide whom hars break. They amused themselves in the streets. This time, however, is my turn, since no this particular evening one is likely to come before six o'clock in provide whom hars break. They amused themselves in the streets. They amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others, two or three worthy and she well knew why "said they amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others are constant. They amused themselves in the streets. It is not only they amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others are constant. They amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others are constant. They amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others are constant. They amused themselves in the streets. It is not only the certain others are constant. The constant is not only the certain others are constant and the constant are constant. The constant are constant and the constant are constant. The constant are constant are constant are constant. The constant are constant are constant are constant. up in it. But while this was going on a right but the most serious duty of all to

Arsenic.

"WATCHING AND WAITING."

[The following was one of the latest, if not the very last, of the religious songs speech of welcome to Gov. Hampton at the in connection with Ira D. Sankey, was tion, as he added: the writer of so many of the Gospel schools, and who, with his wife, were

And gladly lie down to my rest;

When softly the watcher shall say "He is And fold my pale hands o'er my breast; Will any one then at the beautiful gate

Stand waiting and watching for me? path In want of a friend and a guide;

Whose tears might be easily dried; But Jesus may beckon the children away, In the midst of their grief and their give Will at y one then at the beautiful gate

Be watching and waiting for me? There are old and forsaken who linger In homes which their dearest have left; And a few gentle words, or an action of May cheer their sad spirits bereft!

But the Reaper is near to the long-standing The Weary will soon be set free, Will any of them at the beautiful gate Be watching and waiting for me? Oh! should I be brought there by the boun-

tiful grace
Of Him who delights to forgive;
Though I bless not the weary about in my Pray only for self while I live, Methinks I should mourn o'er my sinful neglect,

If sorrow in Heaven can be, hould no one I love, at the beautiful gate. Be watching and waiting for me.

MISTRESS WILSON.

A Tale of Salem Witchcraft.

"The child is bewitched good man! that strife is passing away, and I say to you it made a fearful grimace at him and when she can torment it no more.

" I saw it not," said the good man, then have I no child?"

may haps it's not cur child at all, but Ensens, and curring man, only that it is easy and to her said the witch spirited fond of her. It clung to her ever when some devil's brat that the witch spirited fond of her. It clung to her ever when any lights of any description, with all some devil's brat that the witch spirited some devil's brat that the witch spirited here and took our babe for her own. And she caressed it, and cried when she left plow, and sow, and reap, and mind his aim or object that he had in view. "Her extended to all. The clergyman shall star all the fears of the more ignorant are pass- hair and a fresh color like thine, while this one is sure neither like me nor thee." do that as well." at the little one on her lap with a painful

"Nay, Miriam, that I can't say. It has and so do others who have spoken to me the blue eyes and yellow hair. If only it were healthy and strong, thoud'st see it were healthy and strong, thought she is very shadow on the great he heard the shadow on the great heard the shadow on the great heard the great he friends, I must again thank you for this it were healthy and strong, thoud'st see like thee, and if Enoch believed it. Satan had entered shadow on the grass; he heard the clank- tation for the public to attend a wedding band, and looked into the baby's face, saw thee a babe in thy mother's arms, The women fled back in alarm to the bly his own too, as he swore a never dyhis head, as if he had stood by Miswas to be no one could positively assert, Lord has sent a weakly child, and we the country round." ening up his tall form again, "if Mis- she saw it not. The New England free lovers have another happy hour; nor thou either | fair.'

Pryor children, and given Mistress ice."

And I bethought me, Miriam, how kind- found.

be our child at all."

"say the word and I will get her release this night before it is too late."

close behind him, a bitter smile crept observed.

Her meditations were disturbed direct- peered in through the crack. honest citizen, a carpet-bagger; we welThere are little ones glancing about in my the family sitting room of those days lost of her was little sleep that night. Miriam her ful procent most that sound see. The awworth was noted for his peculiarities, but

ne'er seen it before." slumber. Between the baby's brows, that light .-

ing to it," Miriam nodded her head and was plain. sank back in her chair.

"Think ye, dame," she asked, look- woman at the window. ing at the flames, while the visitor took her place at the other end of the corner her place at the other end of the co of the hearth-"think ye if I laid the to think she is or no."

Parson Williams laid his hands upon it, her; but if it's thine it will get well though it be a witch's babe.

"Ay, marry, there is the other thing." for the child." "And moreover, Dame Walford says may haps it's not our child at all, but in the evening hair, only that it is may haps it's not our child at all, but in the evening, on the main floor, without it is may and interpret as it were for God."

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"But, if she charmed it? A witch can

"Enoch says this babe's like me." "Nay, that it's not! Mind thee, I say find a charm to still it." expression of aversion and distrust. It is not thine. The parson thinks it is, And another, as Mistress Wilson made had whispered more suggestions to his but Enoch had no consciousness of heing throughout. Nay, Miriam, that I can't say. It has and so do others who have spoken to me a step toward the window, clapped the the phrase on every one's line in those ed touched tenderly the little wasted has no eyes for his wife's face. Why, I dangerous to-night."

been indulging in another of their dis- when thou hast thy senses again, for "Thou art no more so gay," was the

"Enoch believes not in the witches?"

I've heard many a man praise her as fair

a poor half dazed old wretch. The gen- houses, while the streets were already lamp and sped away. tlemen of the court know what they do, deserted. In 1693 they were not bril-I trust. I had left her alone an' it had liantly illuminated, and the inhabitants friends when they took leave.

"Ay, and she well knew why," said the mother, the lowering cloud of hatred wife. The good dames had the pleasure forting and edifying spectacle in the had fallen asleep in sheer exhaustion. darkening her face. "My babe has nev- of hearing from her own lips how the troublous time to see the wretches given The spell was broken-the scales had er known a healthful hour, and hers is like a rose. She has drawn the life out made a sclemn visit that afternoon to the life out made a sclemn visit that afternoon to the was well! But Mistress Wilson—was with you; now I have resolved to forgive lots attempted it they broke through and suaded them to open the box and take the little thing out. The news, howhanged on the morrow-how they had end, as Hester Scott did at sight of the He spoke not a word but saddled the "How canst thou be so cruel?" burst exhorted her to confess her evil practices gallows. For Hester declared, as ye all old plow horse, with shaking hands, forth the indignant answer. "The parameter and her penitence for the same and how know, not only that she herself had atswung himself on her, and rode away. bouse, and the next morning husband and wife were seen hanging to a tree in about ten days ago,

This event occurred about ten days ago,

The days ago,

The paramadher penitence for the same and how know, not only that she herself had attended the witches' Sabbath, but told of many she had met in the devil's congression, and this poor child they had been obliged to go away with their purpose unaffected, because the plow works, married on Monday, a week about ten days ago, as servant in the family of Mr. Wm.

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The had the reverend gentleman who rode through the air with her cat they had been obliged to go away with they had been obliged to go away.

Never since he could remember had he witches' Sabbath, but told of many she had met in the devil's congression, and spoke of none forsooth, with their purpose unaffected, because the witch obstinately continued to declare that they had been obliged to go away with they had been obliged to go away with they had been obliged to go away with they had been obliged to go away.

The particular is the family of the same and how how is many she had met in the devil's congression, and this poor child they had been obliged to go away.

The particular is the part General , see B. Clements, who died General , see B. Clements, who died General , see B. Clements, who died the wedded pair had some difficulty, as go free. Think, wife, she's young like affirmed that he had wrestled long and the wedded pair had some difficulty. General Sase B. Clements, who died in Nashville, Term., Monday last, was horn in South Carolina February 4, mission took the wedding ring from her land metres without and in the first state of the wedded pair had some difficulty, as the wedded pair had some difficulty as the

The room in which Mistress Wilson many more escape detection, from the im- her arms bound behind her, and the tu-Again no answer was vouchsafed. was somewhat larger and more commo well, we must be watchful in prayer and progress, jeering and shouting when she disnet her the cell where she had been tarry in patience till it pleaseth the Lord swaved to find fro and her larger and more commo that he was not the bridegroom. She Righteous anger flashed in Enoch's eyes, dious than the cell where she had been tarry in patience till it pleaseth the Lord swayed to and fro and but lost her bal-AUBURN, June 20.—Gov. Robinson, in his set to music by the late P. P. Bliss, who, speech of we learner to Gov. Harmon, in his set to music by the late P. P. Bliss, who, and his voice trembled with deep emotion to look upon our affliction. I wish the same at the rough jolts over the pave and both make out a pretty good case. fitting that the worshipful and reverend good night, mistress, and hope to meet ments—the men gazing with hard, cold One may well argue that he ought to "Hear this, then. If Mistress Wil- gentleman should be received in decent thee to morrow." Hymns which have become so popular son is hanged to morrow morn, her blood quarters—a midway halting place benight who waked to weep and pray. In hit! the which is hit!" when the stone Hymns which have become so popular son is hanged to morrow morn, her blood in many of our churches and Sunday shall be between me and thee so long as tween the narrow walls of a dungeon and night who waked to weep and pray. In hit! the which is hit!" when the stone lady may well argue that she ought to

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI, WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 1877.

ly. The door of the "keeping room," as The witch was walking slowly up and a witch was to die. was called, opened to admit an elderly had worn since all hope was lost of her was little sleep that night. Miriam be- ful presentment that oppressed him be- the climax came when he found himself we man in the prim costume of that of husband's return from sea. She held in set with entreaties and reproaches, and came a paralyzing weight. There was on his dying bed. He was worth about her arms her child that she had been swered in the sayings of the godly Cotton only that one hope left to which many a \$30,000, and he hadn't a blood relative "How goes it with the child, Miriam? allowed to have once more before her Wather, or with the line of Holy Writ, soul has clung in its anguish, a hope in living, so far as he knew. He wanted to "How goes it with the child, Miriam? allowed to have once more before her death, not so much because of her earnest with eager curiosity."

How goes it with the child, Miriam? allowed to have once more before her death, not so much because of her earnest prayer as to see if the Dalton babe expension had as a specific that it could be dread-had lived very happily, but yet he could "Nay, dame but it has cried since rienced ill effects. It was a beautiful and words never so appealing had as ful, that it could not be ! "Nay, dame but it has cried since rienced ill effects. It was a beautiful and words never so appearing had as ful, that it could not be! much effect on her as the rushing break- He had reached the turning. Should his peculiarities in the provisions of the morning till now, and it has the witches mark on its forehead as I have almost upon her shoulder, and in passing to and erson the cliffs of Marblehead that they he look up? Was it the pulsing blood will. Some old men display a mean fro before the tallow candle, forgotten cover for a moment with foam and spray that murmured in his ears, or were they spirit when making their wills, and draft The two women best together over the cradle, and contemplated its little occurred, and contemplated its little occurred, and contemplated its little occurred bleak and frowing as before. Enoth only were himself out and paced the craise his head. And then making their wills, and draft there? He urged his horse forward to one last desperate effort, before he dared only were himself out and paced the craise his head. And then making their wills, and draft to reise his head. And then making their wills, and draft to reise his head.

slumber. Between the baby's brows, that scowled as if the child was still in pain, law indeed a deep red flush; the feverish token, perhaps, of its incessant crying. While they looked, the little parched with the little parched with the little parched it again wit lips moved and twitched. A happier joy, as fresh and lovely as a rose. If to help and protect a hunted, defence down the hill, caught sight of a solitary tom and said in his will; mother might have said the babe was the proof of her evil doings lay in the less woman, who, in her happier days rider, whose spent horse plodded its tom and said in his will; smiling, but when Dame Walford whis- fact that her child throve while others had gone in and out of his house on erpered mysteriously, "The witch is talk peaked and pined, then indeed her guilt rands of neighborly kindness, that made exhaustion but taking its own course thirteen months from date of my burial,

"Lord!" exclaimed the other, cvi- but she'll beg and pray them to care for Learned and godly men held discourses them with glazed eyes and ashen face. widow was said to be looking out for undently startled by the boldness of the the child when she's gone. Even to-day on the manifold arts of the evil one, by They were children from the fisher huts other man. If it was singular for the proposition. "But perchance it's thine she importuned the wortly gentleman in which he ensuared weak souls to do his in Marblehead, and knew their wealthier dying Dodsworth to arge his wife to mar-The child is bewitched good man: proposition. But perchance it's time and wept and bidding, and for aught that Enoch neighbor well; but the countenance he ry again, it was still more singular that Thyself hast heard how it shrieked and own after an, Miriam. I think thou most discensive many that the countenance ne ry again, it was still more singular that screamed when the elders were here to- shouldst do nothing until the witch is wrung her hands until they were fain to he witches. Only one who had shown that they were fain to he witches. Only one who had shown that they were fain to he witches. screamed when the elders were here to should desire the coronomy to be per-day. And dame Walford says that as banged. Then if it's hers, it will after the parish would care for it e'en be witches. Only one who had shown that they stopped to stare as he rode by formed under the following circumstances,

"But if it's hers and goes after her, deep but clear voice that made them all stranger, his straightforward, shrewd, Enoch knew as little as they why he Dodsworth that in taking a new husband

"Wouldst give it to her?" consulted the

jailor's wife.

pinched and worn with sickness. "The and thou wast ever the fairest maid in all festive candle light and the evening entertainment of cake and cider with to be, and an eternal memory for a finite ward. should rather care for it as best we can, Miriam smiled faintly; but her brows which the hostess was presently to treat error. A CONVENTION OF IMMODEST INNOVA- and pray for Him to do the rest, than contracted and the cloud of gloom settled them. But she, retiring to the pantry Miriam's pretended slumber became burst upon his ear, as his eyes fixed could judge, she loved one as well as the and pray for Him to do the rest, than contracted and the could judge, she loved one as well as the accuse innocent folk of bewitching it. I darker than before over her face. She, to bring in those dainties with themselves in stupefied amaze on the pole other. Being good looking and talented, tell thee, Miriam, he continued, straight- too, had a mark upon her forehead, though hands, arranged her tray as if she were her mind full of confused and distressing tied round with fluttering rags that dan- and having a fortune behind her, it was all the time thinking of something else. thoughts the followed her into her dreams. gled from the gallows. tress Wilson is hanged I shall never know 'Only since then I am no more so Finally she took down a pewter mug out another happy hour: nor thou either fair." of which her children once had drunk, oscope melting one into another, horrid dren, swarming around him, "the gov- the spirit of the affair with great zest, as poured it full of the milk, and went pictures passed though her poor bewil- ernor bath sent command there shall be also did the minister; and to further

"How can ! be gay with that before wooden shutter." my eye?" asked the mother pointing to Hark! the child was fretting, but the fire, and all the neighbors were there call- craft? The messenger rode post haste in the groom at another, and no one knew mother sang a simple little song enough, ing her murderes; and trying to drag her to Salem just after day break. One told that the minister had arrived until his though a strange one for a witch:

Hush, my baby; lie still and slumber! Holy angels guard thy hed, Heavenly blessings without number He believes not that Mrs. Wilson is a Gather round thy infant head.

it from her as far as her arm would reach. her father, with lace ruffles to his shirt and this time the other forgot to be cry out as she would fain have done, over and over within him, but this time tance of a mile and a half, in a hig arms At the movement, Enoch turned again and a sword at his side. What might he alarmed at her vicinity, for the can Then the babe in her arms began to they came from a joyful and grateful chair. Those most prominent in this movement, which seems to have gained an were only bent in extricating it.

Say if he could see her now? And Abner struggle, and getting down went to Missers Wilson and clambered on her knees. "Thank God! thank God!" alarming headway in New England at | "Thou knowest better than all the but an evil wind that brought him into | Mistress Wilson had laid aside her It reached up and took the rope with its

almost severing the head from the least, are Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Heywood, learned gentleman about the witches," port to hear his wife called a witch. To widow's cap for the night, and loosened little hands and threw it in the fire, and He then threw the ax down by of Worcester county; George O. Waite, she answered slowly, with a hard expression around the mouth—"better than gossip or busybody, as I've heard she her shoulders. The light from the and Mistress Wilson stood clothed in a A soldier was about to be brought be-When arrested ton; A. B. Weston, a man named Cluer, Parson Williams and they in Salem, and called me—though I bear her no malice lamp, that the jailor's wife had set on white robe, with wings at her shoulders, fore his commanding officer for some of minister was at sea, and the bridge horself the window ledge, shone on her white and Miriam knew it was her spirit. fence. He was an old offender, and had seemed to have doubts. The widower says children of the deviation out, root and branch. And thinkest thon who can tell why Abner ne'er came back delicately fringed lashes, while her slend out, root and branch. And thinkest thon who can tell why Abner ne'er came back delicately fringed lashes, while her slend out, root and branch. And thinkest thon who can tell why Abner ne'er came back delicately fringed lashes, while her slend out, root and branch. There he is again, and Rev. Moses Hull, the latter editor out, root and branch out, root and root an

of my boy sometimes when-" Dwight horrid rheumatic pains. She While these scenes were passing in This was too much for the other. To child ever following, and with great effort never been forgiven," ex- mend matters. The crowd ducked two cursed them then before the judge and Enoch Dalton's homestead, that lay on her excited fancy, the deep violet-blue Miriam broke the spell, and stretched claimed the colonel, surprised at the sugall the people, and said if she could she the higway between Salem and the little eyes shone with a mysterious light, and out her arms and cried: of evening had descended upon the de- sorrow-speaking lips had already contam- it now. It is mine indeed!" "God be merciful to us! Goody mure, first mentioned town, and the light take had a fiery tongue, and was ever twinkled out here and there from the take had a fiery tongue, and was ever twinkled out here and there from the the rest as Mistress Burns snatched her the land all the rest as Mistress Burns snatched her the rest as Blake had a fiery tongue, and was ever twinkled out here and there from the the rest as Mistress Burns snatched her ber eyes opened.

Wilson cursed no one. She only answered, 'Nay, on my soul,' as gently as I have heard her speak—how oft!—in this very room, when the judge charged her of throwing the parson's son into fits and be witching our babe here. 'Nay, on my soul,' as gently as I have heard her speak—how oft!—in this very room, when the judge charged her of throwing the parson's son into fits and be witching our babe here. 'Nay, on my has been did not be witched in his eyes, and the sunbeams stanting past seemed to make a halo around its golden hair. Even as she looked at it the black to make a halo around its golden hair. Even as she looked at it the black to make a halo around its golden hair. Even as she looked at it the black to make a halo around its golden hair. Been soul, she said, and stood straight and er, had peopled its cells with witches, with his wife and children and wife's sislooked him in the face. 'God knows I and when one was given over to the ter who all came to see those ends that anxiety fell upon her, a horrible dread, but have wished the babe naught but good, hangman's hands, there was no danger were hanged on Tuesday, so I was com- and her voice was shrill and strange as eye, and a better conducted man never were he alive and kicking he would renew from the time it came into the world.' but that a new occupant would soon be pelled to stand at the kitchen fire and she called: prepare a small meal for them while "Oh, Enoch, rise and ride to ness bent one whom harshness could not "I married her, by gum, and, by gum, ly and helpful she was when the child Besides the unwilling guests, however, they amused themselves in the streets. town—for the child is well again! The break. The man was conquered by mer- I ought to have her

was to pass the night before her execution possibility of bringing them to trial. Well, multous crowd that accompanied her slow and were married, and now Merritt yows

eternity's illimitable space. The room one house were some grievously torment from a little hand fell with a truer aim know the man who rode to the elergyschools, and who, with his wife, were among the unfound victims of the awful tragedy at Ashtabula:]

As he stood in the firelight, with uplifted hand and trembling lips, like an wenging angel, Miriam gazed at him a small barred window opening on a passage and provided with a shutter pushed sage and provided with a shutter pushed sage and provided with a shutter pushed some such than all the rest. He had seen such had been torn from the midst of it things before. He could picture it to a small barred window opening on a passage and provided with a shutter pushed sage and provided with a shutter sage and provided with with a sort of awe. But after he had sage and provided with a shutter pushed sage and provided sage and provided with a shutter pushed sage and provided s waited in vain for her to speak, when he to and fro at will from the outside, by and man, to imprisonment, condemna powerlessness to make an end of the cruel for one still more singular: left her and she heard the house door means of which the occupant could be scene. Then out of the precincts of the About twenty yours ago there lived in Salem jail heard every hour of the night town, along that sunny road, the cart Central Michigan a curious old Benedick And when, with my glorified vision, at last.

The walls of the "city" I see,

Will and so er my breast;
Over her lips, and she let her head sink little way, and then several pairs of eyes

In the wall of the cart went on and on until it stopped beside the gallows. Only a little way, and then several pairs of eyes

Only a little way, and then several pairs of eyes last time his delusive cry of "All's Well!"

> pant, who had fallen into a troubled upon its cheeks, just visible in that dim only wore himself out and paced the to raise his head. And then—merciful man wasn't of that stamp. His young room, at last, alone; while Miriam lay heaven! the accursed thing stood, in the wife was good looking, vivacious, fond of

> > in cool headedness and understanding as bowed over his horse's neck that they used for building, and furnishing a home naught but kindness to him and his, one and then, putting their heads together viz: "Mistress Burns," came a somewhat to whose accusation joulousy was not a for a consultation, turned and followed. "Nay, wherefore?" said one. "Let her capable to decide upon. His child was again? not bewitched, but sick, and the evil one It was still and deserted on the hilliop, throughout."

down the passage again to the little dered brain. The house stood in flames no more hanging until he himself hath mystify the people in attendance, the because she had thrown the baby on the foller knowledge of the matter of witchaway to justice. Then some one whisper- us that we met on the highway, but as voice was heard in the stables. ed "witch," and one after another took we were out out for a frolic, we were There were at least 200 people present, up the word, and they fell back from her, fain to pluck up a scarcrow from the field and each one understood that even the pointing with their fingers and jeering, yonder, and hang that instead of the striking of a match would break the will. and again she was sitting by the hearth witch, an' it may not displease ye." The listener waited till the voice with Dame Walford at the other side, and The children's wild mirth grew still confusion existed, but at length the min-Mistress Wilson, who sat there with a hid his face with his hands. They drew peremony was gone through with, and at its rope around her neck. Her face was back wondering and awe struck at his conclusion, the affair having been a "prodeathly pale, and her dark blue eyes, silence and left him alone. As he turn found success," a rush was made for the the only sound in the room till the moth. Wilson. She comes of a great family, The witch was there in an instant fixed on Miriam, seemed to cast a spell ed bridle at last, and rode away home, bride; she was kissed by a hundred steps and dealt her a blow on the with a thankful exclamation on her lips, over her so she could neither move nor once more two words repeated themselves of the handle. Leaders and this time the other forgot to be over and once more two words repeated themselves of the handle. Leaders and was then carried home, a discontinuous control of the same of th and Rev. Moses Hull, the latter editor out, root and branch. And thinkest thou should the premises, and fears are enterand proprietor of a weekly newspaper of the governor had held his peace if it were should not return to Miriam, though the so industries will be an attempt to the course which he so industries will be an attempt to the course which he so industries will be an attempt to the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he so industries and the witches of the course which he can be considered and the witches of the course which he can be considered and the witches of the course which he can be considered and the course of the course which he can be considered and the course of the course which he can be considered and the course of the course which he can be considered and the course of the course which he can be considered and the course of the course which he can be considered and the course of the course of the course which he can be considered and the course of the cour as thou wouldst have it and the witches all honest folk? Nay, but they confess "Marry," quoth the dame, "a witch all honest folk? Nay, but they confess the brightness, and tried in vain to call it with him." Whereupon the sergeant out of the bachelor yowed their misdeeds themselves Goody Blake would do it, too, had she seen a man the unlooked for kindness awakened a back. It was very fair. There was stepped forward, and, apologizing for the that she had promised to marry him, as that was hanged 'o Tuesday, raged and that pleased her better than her husthat was hanged at the mouth when they asked band—though I will not say that of
foamed at the mouth when they asked band—though I will not say that of her in court had she or no tormented the Mistress Wilson, for I bear her no malpeared that the spirit turned to go, the "Well, sir," said the sergeant, "he has four men had a fight, but that didn't

would come back from hell to plague fishing village of Marblehead, the shades who could tell but the breath from those "Nay, take it not! It is mine! I know

"Shalt be at the hanging?" asked her she had struck her hand on the child's man, who expected nothing else than that husband and settled with the others for little bed that stood beside her. Half his punishment would be increased with \$2,000 each. been my say. Still, Miriam, I dispute not with the learned men that Satan is going up and down among us. It may going up

eyes, the women pointing, the children know whether he ever married a certain Mistress Burns opened this shutter a little way, and then several pairs of eyes last time his delusive cry of "All's Well! the gallows. Only a little further, only and the crack."

In the way, and the crack. The day had dawned—the day when a turn in the way, and he could see the burden of sixty years bore him down. the spot-should see if the crowd were his wife was only half his uge. Doda-

Two Dollars a Year.

him speak for Mistress Wilson now. He and its own time to the task, for the all bequests otherwise made in this will "She kisses the babe," whispered the was not so far beyond his fellow-citizens man had dropped the reins, and was so are to go to the State of Michigan, to be

that storm of superstition that swept over in boisterous merriment as they came pleased at this provision deponent with

start, "I pray thee, give me some milk common sense told him was no witch. went on. "Too late too late,!"he had been the marriage ceremony shall be perform-He was a plain man, who troubled him- repeating to himself, with a strange, con- od in the big barn on my farm on the household; and whatever questions came blood shall be between me and thee" he in the stables and the bride and groom on up there, in his own little sphere, he was had said, and how could he meet his wife the main floor, and the principal parties

his wife's heart! Alas, yes, and possi- ing of a chain, and taking his hat from at the big barn. Just who the ground

Forgiveness.

gestion. He reflected for a few minutes, the question. wore the Queen's colors. In him, kind- his oft repeated protestations:

Have you to do with one with whom A negro preacher had elaborated a you have tried every kind of punishment | new theory of the Exodus, to-wit: that in vain? The next time you are going the Red Sea got frozen over, and so to strike the blow, stay your hand, and afforded the Israelites a safe passage; but you." Who knows but you also may were drowned. A brother rose and asked touch the secret chord of that heart, and for an explanation of that point. "I'so

Each block of marble in the mine Conceals the Paphian Queen : Appollo robed in light divine, And Pallas, the serene: It only needs the lofty thought, To give the glories birth ; And lo! by skilful fingers wrought, They captivate the earth !

Jackson (Mich.) Cor. New The Mary E. Knox case cussed by the Herald and oth. as one of the most curious cases on and yet the dust covered legal recor-Michigan tell of a case still more sing

lar. Miss Knox was engaged to a young

babe in the fire the witch would come and babe in the fire the witch would come and forch it!"

to think she is or no.

"I verily think she is," said the jailor's the land carried with it men who stood as the land carried with land carried

A shrick of shrill childish laughter young men, and as far as any outsider

Many jokes were passed, and considerable

ordered the culprit to be brought in, and | Just how it would have terminated had asked him what he had to say to the not the wildower been a man of nerve nu The sun was shining in her face, and Turning a kind and pitiful look on the widower stepped in and took his place as

find the exquisite lines of the poet true : been studyin' gography, and de gography say dat de very warm country-where dey have de tropies. And de tropies too bot for freezin.' De pint to be splained is bout breaking through de ice." The preacher straightened up and said : "Brudder, glad you asked dat question. It give me 'casion to 'splain it. You